STATE OF CALIFORNIA

ENTERPRISE ZONE PREFERENCE REQUEST
Employment and Economic Incentive Act (EEIA)

STD. 831S (NEW 8-93) (AUTOMATED)

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CONTRACTS FOR SERVICES (Use 831G for Contracts for Goods)

Bidders should contact the OFFICE OF SMALL AND MINORITY BUSINESS for information on EEIA RECORD KEEPING REQUIREMENTS at 1531 I Street, Second Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814 or call (916) 322-5060.

The Employment and Economic Incentive Act (Government Code Section 7080, et seq.) and the regulations (Section 1896, et seq. Title 2 of the California Code of Regulations) implementinmg the Act, may provide up to a five (5) percent preference to the California based companies which certify, under penalty of perjury, that for contracts for services (personal or consultant services) the contract shall be accomplished at a worksite or worksites located ifrom within the enterprise zone.

Additional preferences ranging from 1 to 4 percent are provided if a qualified bidder agrees to hire its work force from within the enterprise zone as defined in the Act.

Note that no preferences may be granted unless the lowest responsible bid or proposal submitted is in excess of $100,000

SECTION A	EEIA 5% ENTERPRISE ZONE WORKSITE PREFERENCE

This Invitation For Bids or Request For Proposals shall fall within the provisions of the Employment and Economic Incentive Act if the lowest resposible bid exceeds $100,000. If you are interested in this preference, there are two ways your firm can qualify. By checking one of the two boxes below, the bidder agrees that the contract work shall be accomplished at a designated enterprise zone. **Failure to check the applicable preference below will disqualify the bidder's eligibility for the worksite preference.**

☐ Your firm is *presently located* in a designated enterprise zone and you certify, under penalty of perjury, that the contract work will be accomplished at a worksite or worksites located in an enterprise zone.

☐ Your firm may choose to *establish* a worksite or worksites in a designated enterprise zone and you certify, under penalty of perjury, that the contract work will be accomplished at a worksite or worksites located in an enterprise zone.

SECTION B	EEIA 5% ENTERPRISE ZONE WORKFORCE PREFERENCE

Bidders must qualify for the worksite preference prior to requesting any work force preference. Bidders requesting the hiring preference must check one applicable preference below. **Failure to check the applicable preference below will disqualify the bidder's eligibility for the work force preference.**

☐ A 1-percent preference if the bidder agrees to hire persons living within a high density unemployment area or are qualified enterprise zone employees at a rate equal to 5 to 9 percent of the work force during the period of contract performance.

☐ A 2-percent preference if the bidder agrees to hire persons living within a high density unemployment area or are qualified enterprise zone employees at a rate equal to 10 to 14 percent of the workforce during the period of contract performance.

☐ A 3-percent preference if the bidder agrees to hire persons living within a high density unemployment area or are qualified enterprise zone employees at a rate equal to 15 to 19 percent of the work force during the period of contract performance.

☐ A 4-percent preference if the bidder agrees to hire persons living within a high density unemployment area or are qualified enterprise zone employees at a rate equal to 20 percent or more of the work force during the period of contract performance.

By checking any one of the above four boxes, the bidder agrees that persons living within a designated enterprise zone will be hired in a number equal to the percentages specified by the box checked.

SECTION C	EEIA 5% ENTERPRISE ZONE WORKSITE IDENTIFICATION

Bidders proposing to perform the contract in a designated enterprise zone are required to indentify such site or sites in the space provided below.
Failure to identify a site or sites which qualifies as an enterprise zone will result in a denial of the above requested preference.

NAME OF FIRM(S) PERFORMING WORK AT DESIGNATED ENTERPRISE ZONE LOCATION(S)	ADDRESS(ES) OF WORKSITE(S) LOCATED IN AN ENTERPRISE ZONE	NAME OF ENTERPRISE ZONE

**Questions regarding the identification of a high density unemployment area or a designated zone should be directed to the
Department of Commerce (Enterprise Zone Programs), 801 K Street 17th Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814, Telephone (916) 324-8211.**

CERTIFICATION

In order to receive the EEIA preference(s) the following certification must be completed and signed:

I hereby certify under penalty of perjury, that the bidder is a California-based company, as defined in the regulations, and that no less than 50% of the labor required to perform the contract shall be accomplished at a worksite or worksites located in a designated enterprise zone. Furthermore, when the work force preference is claimed, it will be in compliance with the provisions of the Act. Any person willfully providing false information is subject to

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